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A CAN REPORT IS OFTEN GIVEN ON THE FIREGROUND TO CONVEY A PLAN OF ATTACK TO SOLVE AN EMERGENCY. WHAT HAPPENS WHEN THE FIRE DEPARTMENT IS THE ONE WITH THE MANPOWER EMERGENCY? THIS PRESENTATION WILL PROVIDE AN IN-DEPTH LOOK AT HOW AN ALL-VOLUNTEER DEPARTMENT RECOGNIZED THE CONDITIONS THESE ORGANIZATIONS ARE FACED WITH. THEY TOOK ACTION TO CREATE SOLUTIONS TO NAVIGATE THE EVER-CHANGING DYNAMICS OF VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTING. EXAMPLES WILL BE GIVEN OF HOW DEPARTMENTS CAN MEET THE NEEDS OF THE COMMUNITY WHILE ALSO ADDRESSING MEMBERS' NEEDS THROUGH RECRUITMENT AND RETENTION.

